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December 18, 1986

Mr. Marvin Berg Quarry Superintendent Southwestern Portland Cement Company P. O. Box 529 Lyons, Colorado 80540

Dear Mr. Berg:

Re: Notice of Tentative Approval, Mining and Reclamation Plan Permit Application, Navajo Sandstone Quarry, ACT/023/010, Juab County, Utah

The Division has completed the technical review of your permit application and the latest information received December 4, 1986. Our November 4, 1986 deficiency letter outlined three (3) conditions which required resolution. Your latest response satisfies condition #1 (highwall variance) and condition #2 (written commitment to perform vegetation survey). We are still awaiting a response to condition #3 (bonding information) which is to be provided from your Salt Lake office.

The information which remains can be resolved during the 30-day public comment period. Therefore, the Division grants tentative approval of the permit application. Before we can proceed with issuance of final approval, the bonding information must be received by the Division.

The Division will forward a tentative approval notice to the appropriate newspaper agencies for public notice. Upon completion of the 30-day public comment period (assuming no adverse public comments are received) and upon receipt of the bonding information, the Division will be prepared to grant final approval and issue a permit to commence operations. Please contact me, Wayne Hedberg or Frank Filas should you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

L. P. Braxton Administrator

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